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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Tracy L. FEREA et al.) Group Art Unit: 1634
Application No.: 10/050,188) Examiner: A. Chakrabarti
Filed: January 14, 2002)
For: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS)
FOR MICROARRAY CONTROL)

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Sir:

AMENDMENT

Applicants now respond to the Office Action mailed June 20, 2003 ("Action").
Applicants request reconsideration and withdrawal of all outstanding rejections. The period for reply has been extended two months by the Petition for Two Months Extension of Time and fee payment filed concurrently herewith. The extra claims fee of \$452.00 for four extra independent claims and six extra claims is enclosed. Please enter the following amendments.

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